

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- 5 1. An anti-rotation lock for preventing circumferential movement of a stator segment in relation to a gas turbine engine split case to which it is mounted, comprising:
 - a split case;
 - 10 a pocket disposed within said case at a location thereon proximate to said vane segment;
 - a lug, received within said pocket and protruding inwardly from an inner surface of said case and engagable by said vane segment to prevent circumferential movement thereof with
 - 15 respect to said case; and
 - a spring pin received within said pocket and engaged with said lug to compressively retain said lug within said pocket.
- 20 2. The anti-rotation lock of claim 1, wherein:
 - said lug overhangs said pocket, extending beyond said spring pin in the circumferential direction.
- 25 3. The anti-rotation lock of claim 2, wherein:
 - said lug further comprises an innermost radial face and an outermost radial face; and
 - each of said faces are chamfered about at least a portion of their periphery.

4. The anti-rotation lock of claim 3, wherein:

said case further comprises at least one pair of
circumferentially extending and axially spaced apart rails,
5 protruding inward from the inner surface and forming
a corresponding pair of grooves for accepting the stator
segment in a sliding arrangement.

5. The anti-rotation lock of claim 4, wherein:

10 said spring pin further comprises an outer diameter; and
the outer diameter is larger than a circumferential width of
said pocket prior to being received in said pocket.

6. The anti-rotation lock of claim 5, wherein:

15 said spring pin further comprises a hollow cylinder, split
lengthwise by a linear slot.

7. The anti-rotation lock of claim 6, wherein:

said slot is helical.

8. The anti-rotation lock of claim 6, wherein:

said lug further comprises a recess, positioned between the
innermost and the outermost faces and adjacent to the received
spring pin.

9. The anti-rotation lock of claim 8, wherein:

the recess is concave and corresponds to the outer diameter of
said received spring pin.